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Raymond's Leading Musician Passes Away.

This morning Mr. Uriel O'Brien passed away, after being operated upon for appendicitis. He has taken sick on Saturday and taken to the Galt Hospital at Lethbridge, where he was operated on Monday. He had come out the operation in fairly good condition and hopes were entertained for his recovery, but the sad news of his death came over the phone this morning.

Mr. O'Brien came to Raymond in 1903 and first played with Hood's Orchestra in the spring of 1904 and has been very active in the musical life ever since. In the fall of 1905 the O'Brien Orchestra was organized with Mr. O'Brien as conductor, and this organization has grown in prominence. The following newspaper clipping shows what the press had to say of this organization: "The O'Brien Orchestra still maintained their reputation of giving first class music, and much credit is due Mr. Uriel O'Brien, the leader, for this organization."

On April 27th, 1909, the Opera House had its opening, with the O'Brien Orchestra as a permanent organization in connection. Here Mr. O'Brien worked for two and a half years as conductor and has trained the Orchestra into a very successful organization. Mr. Harold Nelson, on his recent visit here said, "This is the best orchestra I have heard in Western Canada."

Mr. O'Brien recently severed his connection with the Opera House Orchestra to organize a Conservatory of Music here, at which he had a large number of students who were advancing very rapidly. Last year he passed an examination in music at the Knight Academy, for which he received 100%. He was also leader of the Military Band.

We can safely say that Mr. Uriel O'Brien has done more for the people of Raymond and vicinity in a musical way than any other two men have done.

He leaves a young wife and a large number of brothers and sisters, besides a host of friends to mourn his loss. Among his friends "The Editor" has been his friend and champion for the past seven years and they have been as brothers in the musical line for that period of time, and we feel his loss very keenly.

Y.M.M.I.A. Commence Work.

On Tuesday evening of last week the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association commenced its season's work. The subject of "The Making of a Citizen," Part II—Problems in Economics, is the subject under discussion by the Senior Classes. The following are some of the studies which will be taken up by the Junior Classes: "The Development of Character," which contains the following subjects—Perseverance, Honesty, Money, Company, Order, Punctuality, Politeness, Language, Cheerfulness, Self-Control, Benevolence, and other subjects just as important.

Both are very good outlines of study, and we feel that all young men should attend these meetings.

Bishops Warning About Mormons

Refers to their Increase in Influence in Southern part of Province.

The above headlines were taken from the Morning Alberta, Calgary, of November 15th, over a two column article. The following is what was said in regard to the Mormons: "Reference to the threatening danger of Mormonism, an announcement that three churches, Anglicans, Presbyterians, and Methodists were a unit in favor of religious teaching of some kind in the schools and the transaction of an amount of business marked the closing day of the synod meeting yesterday."

It was towards the close of the day that Bishop Pinkham made reference to the influence of the Mormons, who were gaining ground throughout Southern Alberta. He referred to the activity of the church in that part of the province, pointing out that there had been an increase from three workers to fifteen in the last two years. The synod intended to secure more men as soon as possible, and would appoint a field missionary to help in missions which are too large for one man. At present some of the circuits have from four to nine stations, and the missionary in charge can get about only once a month.

NEWS ITEMS.

Reuter, the aviator, has completed his ocean air voyage—something over 4000 miles. The trip was accomplished at a speed of almost a mile a minute.—Ex

Brookville, Nov. 6.—A clergyman of Bishop's Mills shot a porcupine and in dressing it made the peculiar find of a live green snake in the intestines. The mouth of the reptile was lodged near the stomach, and it was apparently sustained by absorbing a share of the bird's daily food. The porcupine was fat and in good condition, although the snake measured over two feet in length.

Music built charms to soothe a savage, no doubt; but the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette are not travelling for the express purpose of soothing savages. They are entertaining the music-loving public, and in a manner that is thoroughly enjoyable from first to last. The program is full of novelty and artistic elegance, besides giving our readers many opportunities to indulge in the world-famous American laugh. If you want to be happy on the evening of Nov. 17th you can be by going to hear this company's entertainment at the Raymond Opera House.

The following program will be rendered at the M. I. A. Session of the Taylor Stake Conference which will be held at Mearns on Sunday evening November 19th.

Report Mark H. Brimhall
Solo Erna Karren
Report Ina Ericson
Reading Spence Young
Lecture Ellis Henniger
Recitation Frances Rasmussen
Lecture Solo Wes Wood
Solo Dorothy Young
Musical A. Rasmussen Co.

Knight Academy Notes.

Last week Miss Pearl Wright of the domestic science department, served home-made candy, and this week she is serving chocolate and sandwiches.

Instructor Poulson, of the mechanic arts department, has completed the kitchen cabinets and they are now enjoyed by the girls of the excellent department of domestic science.

This week the mechanic arts department will begin on a large, commodious cabinet for the chemical laboratory—a much needed improvement.

Instructor Tanner has placed an order with an eastern firm for extensive supplies for the chemistry laboratory. By the Kansas holidays the laboratory will be thoroughly equipped and prepared to do extensive experimental work.

J. W. Verge, of the public school staff, has registered for work in the chemistry, and Miss Della Johnson, until recently a member of the same staff, has registered for senior high school work.

The Academy has made formal application for membership in the Southern Alberta basketball league. The league, as planned, will include something like six teams from the leading towns of Southern Alberta.

The academy will have a week, both for athletics and the physical educational work. Instructor Tanner has charge of athletics and Miss Francis Rasmussen will teach physical education.

The other day Grant Card asked to be allowed to register for cooking. But Miss Wright thought he ought not to do so and he did not.

"Snow White," the beautiful little opera, will be presented on the night of the 23rd instant, in the Academy and during a 15 minute to be a rare treat. Popular prices.

Instructor Nye, assistant in music, has in mind to organize a chorus of 100 voices. Outside talent will be asked to join. Several heavy prizes will be presented.

Instructor Woolf spent Saturday and Sunday last in Cardston, his old home.

Director Usenbach has a window full of new work, by students, on exhibition at the High. He will organize a class of ten, for the very nominal sum of \$5 per week, one lesson a week of two hours duration.

The cold snap has had its influence upon the attendance, as several students are suffering with severe colds.

Mid-winter classes will be organized on or before December 1st next for the benefit of students who have been kept out by the extraordinarily late fall. Keep this in mind, please.

Classes were organized this week, with a preside, a vice-president, a secretary, a treasurer, a cheer master, and an athletic manager.

In Defence of the Mormons.

Strong Criticism of the action of the Presbyterian General Assembly.

By Mrs. Arthur Murphy, of Edmonton.

(Canadian Courier)

(Continued from last week)

Speaking of his private act at Raymond, Mr. Gordon says, "Never in all these nine months was I invited into a Mormon house."

This does not sound hospitable but need not necessarily be urged as a serious plea against the Mormons. It is equally possible that the Mormon elders were not invited into Presbyterian homes, indeed, it is not at all likely.

Going on to speak of the Presbyterian mission, Mr. Gordon says, "Mrs. Appleton to such work must be ready, in the Western phrase 'to stay with it.' Some may doubt whether we as a Church should have undertaken the heavy Mormon work. All must agree that having begun and carried it on for years we must not drop it now."

Ever since the Mormons came to Canada they have, from time to time, been accused of polygamy. It has been charged that they were bringing women from the British Isles and Europe, ostensibly as relatives, but actually as wives. This may be so, but here we must remember that in no manner possible that the charge has never been substantiated in a single case.

Now, all may be fair in love and war, but this by no means holds true concerning religion. If we fight, it must be on the square and not like Milton's angels with "villainous splinter," it is a cowardly act to defame any woman, or any community of women, on the safe but slippery phrase, "It is said."

In this view I am supported by all fair, clear-headed Presbyterians, and am persuaded this, even to those of the Church who have been led into an absurd and illogical position by sectarian interest, or by misinformation, will ultimately come to accept this view of the matter.

Because of certain representations made to the Canadian National Council of Women, I was, two years ago, requested as Convener on Laws for the Better Protection of Women and Children of the Edmonton Local Council, to make enquiries into the status of women among the Mormon community. At that time one of the documents placed in my hands was a paper on the Canadian Mormons, read before the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church. In it this clause occurs: "The second woman in a household is always the wife's cousin, or friend, or visitor or her presence is explained in some other way."

It is evident that the writer of this paper had reason to change his opinion, for, when written to at a later period by me, and asked if this "second woman" became the mother of children, he replied as follows: "I should be glad to introduce a second wife under the guise of a friend, cousin, or servant. But the Mormons probably keep the marriage law as carefully as

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WEST'S Big Jubilee Minstrels

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Cupid

ed. We took him out to the herd one day, and after he's been kicked and tossed and trampled, he got on throwing a steer by the nose, and from that on it was his favorite pastime. He played the game so enthusiastically that I finally sez to Bill, "Bill, you mustn't forget that Colonel Scott has other uses for these cattle besides using 'em for dog exercisers." From that on, Bill made the pup be a little more temperate in the use o' steers.

I looked back to the road again, and there was the pup, standin' down by the road watchin' the hoss runnin' toward him. I touched Bill on the shoulder, an' sez, "Can the pup do any thing to do, but just watch 'em plunge two hundred feet into the ravine." I glanced at Bill, but I hardly knew him. His brows was drawn down like a wild cat's, his jaws was clamped so tight you could hear 'em grit, an' his eyes seemed to smoke.

Jessamine, that was Miss Johnston's real name, had been ridin' one o' the Colonel's high-breds, an' again ordered at that; but the Colonel was purty comfortable like at the upshot. Bill was fitted out with a pedigree an' a bank account what made him a parlor guest purty much everywhere he went, an' on top o' that it tickled the Colonel a heap to have things ironed out by the bull pup himself.

ence that in this case the restoration is to be a real one instead of the usual obliteration of the past that so delights the infusorial soul of the modern vandal. In other words, Versailles is to be restored backward. How far back is still upon the knees of the gods and we may pray the gods that it be not too far. But the Napoleonic additions will not be spared and even the work of Louis XVI. and Marie Antoinette may be in danger if we may judge from the

A shark once served as a pulpit, even perhaps against his will. In 1797, the brig Nancy was captured by a British warship as a suspected slaver; and after release by the prize court at Jamaica, whither she had been brought for trial, seemed inevitable, owing to the absence of incriminating documents. Curiously enough, the officers of the Abergavenny hoisted a shark soon afterwards in the neighborhood, which was found to contain a bundle of papers—the Nancy's. These were

K. Vardaman, the new U.S. ambassador to Mississippi.

She: "She told me you told her that heret I told you not to tell her."
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Orange Pudding.—Make a custard (cooking it in a double boiler) of one pint of milk, one tablespoon of cornstarch, six of three eggs, three fourths of a cup of sugar; boil until it thickens. Then remove and set aside until it cools. Have the whites of three eggs in the meantime where you can get them. While the custard is cooling, break three or four oranges into shreds, removing all seeds and pulp, and wash well. Whip up the egg white until stiff and fold gently into the custard; then lay on top the shredded orange, after moving some of the juice, and serve with or without

The Mail Order House.

The following, which is taken from a recent issue of the Western Editor, might be of some interest to many of our business men who do not consent to the use of printers' ink:

"A large percentage of the business men will continue to neglect advertising and send orders for job printing to cheap eastern houses. It is true that there are some business men who do appreciate the situation, and these are surely well repaid—much more than the newspaper publisher.

"The stand that the newspaper takes in this respect is largely one of sentiment—it cannot be altogether endorsed on lines of sound business principles, because he has every right to sell his space to that buyer just as a merchant has the right, and takes advantage of it, to sell to purchasers from neighboring centres as well as in his own town, notwithstanding there are stores there doing business only.

"Assuredly the newspaper man is getting the worst of the situation as it is at present constituted, and there is also a point to be considered as to the rights or welfare of the public. To serve the public is one of the aims of the press at large, and in these days of high costs one way of serving the public is by presenting in the advertising columns positively the best merchandise obtainable. To home merchants claim that on an average they can compete with the distant departmental. Should they not then consent to a presentation of their case as exemplified in the ad column price lists, side by side in the local paper with those of Eaton or the Hudson's Bay Company.

"Every publisher knows, or should know, his own business best, but as regards it is rejection of departmental advertising, the publisher is not making as much as he should out of the situation. Let him remember that he has every right to and, in fact should, accept such advertising and let him also impress on his home advertiser that he should and can compete with the departmental seller, especially with the advantage of being on the local ground as against a distant competitor."

We might state that we have been offered many fat contracts in mail order houses but we refused them just because we wish to favor the local business people and to encourage the patronizing of home institutions.

LOCALS.

Mr. J. F. Gordon was a visitor at Lethbridge this week.

Mr. Chas. McCarty left for Salt Lake City, Utah, last week, and expects to return next week.

1, 2, 3. Buckle Overshoes King Bros.

A certain man said the other day, "It don't pay to advertise; they don't change the ads often enough." That's your business. Do you expect the editor to get you out of bed and dress you—kix.

Two meters fell on Tuesday evening last, the first one at about 9:15 and the second about 11. A number of young ladies going home from Mutual saw the first one and thought that "the world was coming to an end."

The Chinook on Wednesday morning was a very welcome visitor.

Mr. Fred Anderson was in town this week.

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